

**DESCRIPTION OF KNOWLEDGE LEVEL OF TOOTH BRUSHING AND
CARIES DECIDUOUS TEETH AT FOURTH GRADE ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL STUDENTS 14 SESETAN IN 2019
ABSTRACT**

Knowledge is the result of knowing from humans, occurs after humans sensing certain objects. Tooth brushing is an effort made to keep teeth clean, healthy and caries free. Caries is a disease of hard tooth tissue, which is characterized by tissue damage starting from the surface of the teeth (pits, fissure, and interproximal areas). The purpose of this study was to determine the description of the level of tooth brushing and caries teeth in fourth grade elementary school student on 2019. This research is a descriptive study using secondary data in the form of data on the results of public dental and oral health reference services. The results of the study conducted there were 26 students, most students have a level of dental and oral hygiene knowledge with very good criteria that is 50 percent and the average level of dental and oral hygiene knowledge in students is 9,82 with good criteria. The majority of students experienced dental caries, namely 18 students with a percentage of 69,23 and the average dental caries 1,65 in advanced low category.

Keyword : knowledge level of tooth brushing, deciduous dental caries. 4th grade elementary school students.